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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: MASS MPOL NS
SUBJ: SECURITY ASSISTANCE REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

REF: STATE 167901

1. TO DATE, WE HAVE NO ONGOING SECURITY ASSISTANCE RELATIONSHIP WITH SURINAM, ALTHOUGH SURINAM IS FMS-ELIGIBLE. ONE OFFER FOR A SMALL CASH SALE OF RIFLES AND AMMUNITION WAS MADE A YEAR AGO BUT NOT RESPONDED TO. A HANDFUL OF EQUIPMENT PREVIOUSLY PROVIDED TO THE DUTCH WAS TURNED OVER TO THE SURINAM ARMY AT INDEPENDENCE IN 1975. SINCE THEN, WE HAVE NOT ENCOURAGED THE SURINAMERS TO LOOK TO US FOR MILITARY EQUIPMENT OR TRAINING BUT INSTEAD HAVE BEEN QUITE SATISFIED TO SEE THEM CONTINUING TO RELY ON TRADITIONAL SOURCES OF SUPPLY IN THE NETHERLANDS. FURTHER, WE DO NOT WISH AT THIS TIME TO PROPOSE ANY NEW PROGRAMS FOR TRAINING OR OTHER MILITARY ASSISTANCE.

2. GIVEN THE SITUATION DESCRIBED ABOVE, WE BELIEVE THAT THIS EMBASSY SHOULD BE EXEMPTED FROM THE REPORT REQUIREMENTS LEVIED BY REFTEL. ANY POSSIBLE REQUESTS WHICH
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COULD COME FROM THE GOS OVER THE NEXT THREE-FOUR YEARS WILL HAVE TO BE HANDLED ON A CASE-BY-CASE BASIS AND WOULD BE IMPOSSIBLE TO PREDICT WITHOUT A DETAILED DISCUSSION WITH GOS MILITARY AUTHORITIES, SOMETHING WE DO NOT BELIEVE WE SHOULD STIMULATE.

3. DEPARTMENT IS REQUESTED TO INFORM US IF WASHINGTON

CONSENSUS IS THAT WE WOULD NONETHELESS SUBMIT REQUESTED
REPORTS OR SOME PART OF THEM.
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